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Applicants:	AERTS	Examiner:	
Serial No.:	10/796,406	Edell, Joseph F.	
Filed:	03/08/2004	Art Unit:	3636
For:	FABRIC ATTACHMENT DEVICE		
Attorney Docket No:	3591-1347		

## TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop: Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## Attached are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in dup); Amendment C (13 pp); and  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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- ☐ An extension fee in the amount of \$0 for a \_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).  
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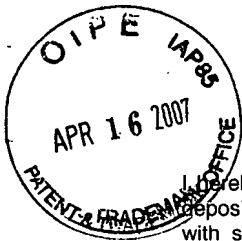
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0 is enclosed.  
☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$50.00 (one additional non-independent claim.) A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.  
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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT C**

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed January 12, 2007, please consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2; and

Remarks begin on Page 10.

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